



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 09/964,840 Confirmation No. : 3733
Applicant : ERICH ERDLE, et al.
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Examiner : Stephen J. Kalafut
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Customer No. : 23911
Title : AUXILIARY POWER SUPPLY FOR A VEHICLE WITH A COMBUSTION ENGINE AND METHOD FOR OPERATING THE SAME

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

January 29, 2004

Sir:

Applicant hereby requests that the period to take action in the above-captioned application be extended by 1 month pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).

A check in the amount of \$110.00 is submitted herewith in payment of the required extension fee. This amount is believed to be correct, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket #225/50450). A duplicate copy of this letter is attached.

Respectfully submitted,



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